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PART VI.

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated the 8th January 1925.

Under Section 40 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, it is hereby notified for the information of the public that the below noted logs bearing no numbers or any other marks of identification are found stranded on the banks of Thungabhadra river in the jurisdiction of Honnali Taluk, and for their safety are entrusted to the patels of the villages concerned.

The claimants are required to present and establish their claims before the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, within one month from this date, failing which, the timber will, under Sections 40 and 42 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, be confiscated to Government.

Locality	Serial No.	Kind	Length	Mid-girth	Remarks
I. In the limits of Kammargatte Village on the right bank of Thungabhadra river.	1	Matti	11′—9″	4′—8″	Hollow throughout.
	2	Neral	13′—9″	5′—0″	Do.
	3	Nandi	16′—0″	5′—2″	A length of 5′ badly burnt.
	4	Teak	16′—0″	1′—10″	Defect is heart-shake.
II. In the limits of Benekanahalli Village on the right bank.	1	Jalary	14′—3″	2′—6″	Sound.
	2	Teak	14′—3″	3′—0″	Hollow throughout.
	3	Hunal	22′—6″	2′—9″	Unsound.
	4	Yethana	12′—9″	6′—9″	Sound.
	5	Matti	7′—6″	1′—0″	A crack all through.
In the limits of Honnali Town in the river bed of Thungabhadra a furlong from T. B.	1	Matti	23′—6″	5′—3″	A length of 2′ only is rotten.

Notification dated 29th December 1924.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that one bite log bearing No. 162, measuring 11½ feet in length and 5'-2" in girth was found near Bedaragaddc village, Kasaba hobli, Shimoga Taluk, carried down by the recent floods. The log is now kept in the safe custody of one Channappa, Patel, Bedaragaddc.

The claimants if any, are required to present and establish their claims before the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, within one month from this date, failing which, the said log will, under Sections 40 and 42 of the Mysore Forest Regulations, be confiscated to Government.

L. P. MASCARENHAS,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 8th January 1925.

It is hereby notified that the right to cut and remove the following trees enumerated, numbered and marked for felling in the coupes of the several ranges of the Kadur Division will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Kadur Division, as per particulars given below:

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Coupe No.	Place of sale and date	Description of trees						Remarks
				Beete	Honne	Mathi	Nandi	Hunal	Other kinds	
Kadur ..	Balance in arrear coupes of Doddanagudda.	II to IV & VI	Sakrepatna. 27th January 1925.	..	..	..	..	..	..	Mainly teak poles.
Mudgere ..	Balance in arrear coupes of Saragod State Forest.	I	Mudgere, 29th January 1925	..	4	23	..	22	26	7 teak trees are also marked
	Tatkola District Forest Coupe.	I	Do ..	5	24	32	11	6	100	

1. The successful bidder will, immediately after the sale, deposit Rs. 50 as security for each coupe.

2. The final acceptance of the sales will rest with the Conservator of Forests who does not bind himself to accept the highest or any bid or to assign any reasons whatever for the rejection of any bid.

3. The successful bidder will, within a week of the receipt of the intimation of the acceptance of his bid, execute an agreement accepting the terms specified below: in default, the sale will be cancelled and deposit forfeited to Government :—

(*a*) That he binds to fell and remove the timber he has purchased before the 15th June 1925.

(*b*) That trees shall be felled in consecutive order as they are marked. Picking and choosing will not be allowed.
In felling trees, care should be taken to fell so as not to cause damage to the surrounding growth.

(*c*) That he shall fell the trees he has purchased and dress the logs on the spot. He will not be bound, however, to remove such logs as the District Forest Officer may declare to be unsound and unfit for sale without recourse to sawing. The District Forest Officer's decision regarding the over-dressing of logs shall be final and the purchaser should pay the amount for such wastage as calculated by the District Forest Officer.

(*d*) That only saws will be used for cutting up the logs into the required lengths, and that while he is permitted to remove whitewood, knots and flutes, he shall cause no unnecessary waste in dressing the logs. The District Forest Officer's opinion regarding the over-dressing of logs shall be final and the purchaser should pay the amount for such wastage as calculated by the District Forest Officer.

(*e*) That he binds himself to pay for in advance the value of the minimum quantity of timber to be fixed by the District Forest Officer and remove all marketable portions of a tree either in logs, pieces or poles. He will not be eligible for any refund of advance revenue, if the minimum quantity so fixed is not removed, but any excess quantity should be paid for at auction sale rates.